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Definition of DELAY

- 1 **a** : the act of postponing, hindering, or causing something to occur more slowly than normal : the state of being **delayed** • get started without *delay*
b : an instance of being delayed • apologized for the *delay* • a rain *delay*
- 2 : the time during which something is delayed • waited out a *delay* of 30 minutes

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